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SUBJECT: AREQUIPA STRIKE ENDS

REF: LIMA 8535 AND PREVIOUS

1. WEEK-LONG WALKOUT ENDED BY ACCORD BETWEEN STRIKERS AND THIRD MILITARY REGION COMMANDER, GENERAL AUGUSTO FREYRE GARCIA, AT MIDNIGHT NOVEMBER 22. YESTERDAY AREQUIPA REMAINED QUIET UNDER STATE OF EMERGENCY DECLARED NOVEMBER 20, WHICH FREYRE PROMISED TO LIFT ASAP. AREQUIPA EXPECTED TO RETURN TO NORMAL TODAY. PRESS CARRIED NO NEWS ABOUT PUNO, CUZCO OR OTHER TOWNS.

2. PUBLISHED ELEMENTS OF ACCORD PROVIDE FOR WORKERS TO END STRIKE AND CONVENE MEETING OF UNION DELEGATES ON NOVEMBER 23, IN EXCHANGE FOR THREE GOP COMMITMENTS: (A) EXPEDITE TRIALS OF ARRESTED TEACHERS, (B) NO DISMISSAL OF TEACHERS WITHOUT DUE PROCESS, AND (C) EXPEDITE CONSIDERATION OF DISMISSED TEACHERS' REQUESTS FOR REINSTATEMENT. OTHER POINTS OF ACCORD

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NOT MADE PUBLIC.

3. COMMENT: BELATED, MORE FLEXIBLE GOVERNMENT APPROACH
BROUGHT LATEST GOP CRISIS TO CLOSE. ALTHOUGH IT REMAINED
FIRM AGAINST CIVIL DISOBEDIENCE AND VIOLENCE, GOP GAINED
TRUCE BY BEING RESPONSIVE ON CRUCIAL ISSUE OF TEACHER ARRESTS
AND DISMISSALS. AS THE ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL HUB FOR ENTIRE
SOUTH, PEACE IN AREQUIPA SHOULD BRING DISTURBANCES TO CLOSE
IN OTHER SOUTHERN TOWNS.
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